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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

Dear Sir:

With regard to the Restriction Requirement mailed on August 19, 2005, Applicants provide the following Election and Response to Restriction Requirement.

Amendments to the claims are embodied in the Listing of Claims beginning on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 3.

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